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PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
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John KEANE et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 2182
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Application No.: 09/832,346	)	Examiner: Fleming, Fritz M.
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Filed: April 11, 2001	)	
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For: METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR	)	Confirmation No.: 8618
ENABLING COMMUNICATION	)	
BETWEEN A PROCESSOR AND A	)	
NETWORK OPERATIONS CENTER	)	

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed August 25, 2004, with a period for response extending through November 26, 2004 (November 25, 2004, being a holiday), and demonstrates that the application is in condition for allowance.